Table 4.14 Foreign-Born Population living in U.S. Regions by Sex and Region of Birth: March 2001 (Numbers in thousands. 1/2/)

SEX AND REGION			REGION OF BIRTH					
	LATIN AMERICA		CARIBBEAN		CENTRAL AMERICA		SOUTH AMERICA	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total								
Total	15,987	100.0	2,899	100.0	11,066	100.0	2,022	100.0
Northeast	3,017	18.9	1,375	47.4	683	6.2	959	47.4
Midwest	1,131	7.1	53	1.8	965	8.7	113	5.6
South	5,565	34.8	1,373	47.3	3,528	31.9	665	32.9
West	6,274	39.2	99	3.4	5,890	53.2	285	14.1
Male								
Total	8,441	100.0	1,355	100.0	6,091	100.0	995	100.0
Northeast	1,474	17.5	595	43.9	396	6.5	482	48.5
Midwest	652	7.7	25	1.8	570	9.4	58	5.8
South	2,991	35.4	683	50.4	1,991	32.7	318	31.9
West	3,324	39.4	53	3.9	3,134	51.5	137	13.8
Female								
Total	7,546	100.0	1,545	100.0	4,974	100.0	1,027	100.0
Northeast	1,544	20.5	780	50.5	287	5.8	476	46.4
Midwest	479	6.3	28	1.8	395	7.9	56	5.4
South	2,574	34.1	690	44.7	1,537	30.9	348	33.8
West	2,950	39.1	46	3.0	2,756	55.4	148	14.4

^{1/} The majority of those born in 'Central America' are from Mexico.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, March 2001 Ethnic and Hispanic Statistics Branch, Population Division Internet Release date: March 10, 2003

^{2/} U.S. Regions and World Regions are different. For definitions of these and other geographic terms see 'Profile of the Foreign-Born Population in the United States, 2000.' (P23-206)